To whom it may concern,

I am writing to respectfully request that the FCC reject the NAB petition 04-160. I live in a rural area in northern Minnesota where it is often difficult to receive the usual AM and FM broadcasts. I find satellite radio an excellent way to stay in contact with world events, music and general information.

This information includes weather and (to a lesser extent) traffic.

Please reject this petition. Without satellite weather information, it would be difficult to obtain timely information.

Sincerely,

Rae Keashly